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Applicant:

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Title:

COMMUNICATION SCHEME FOR REALIZING EFFECTIVE

DATA INPUT/SETUP IN COMPACT SIZE PORTABLE

TERMINAL DEVICE USING LOCALLY CONNECTED NEARBY

COMPUTER DEVICE

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action dated July 12, 2005, concerning the above-referenced patent application. Applicant's respectfully request entry of the instant amendment because it is believed to place the application in condition for allowance.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: